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SATOSHI SHIGEMATSU, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/853,770

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Art Group: 2134

Examiner: Ellen C. Tran

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		WO 99/50794	10-07-1999	Enix Corporation	A
		JP 56-11567	02-04-1981	Omron Tateisi Electronics Co.	AB
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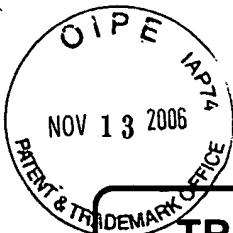
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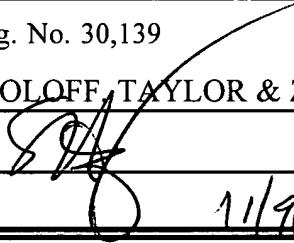
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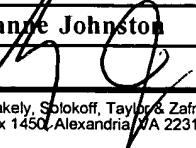
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1. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	92	93 ^m	0	X 50.00 = \$0.00
Independent Claims	18	18 ^m	0	X 200.00 = \$0.00
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Large Entity		Small Entity		<u>Fee Description</u>
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1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
1204	790	2204	395	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
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2053	130	2053	130	Non-English specification
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month
1253	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month
1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month
1255	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal
1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403	1,000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1460	130	2460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
1809	790	1809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))

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